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☐ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

- ☐ missing.
☐ insufficient.

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☐ 2. The following additional claims fees are due:

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Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.

☒ 3. The oath or declaration:

- ☐ is missing or unsigned.
☐ does not cover the newly submitted items.

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

☐ 4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.

A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

☐ 5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

☐ 6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).

☐ 7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.

☐ 8. The application was filed in a language other than English.

Applicant must file a verified English translation of the application, the \$130.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(k), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).

☐ 9. OTHER:

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	First Named Inventor	Stephen A. Edwards	
	Group Art Unit	2751	
	Examiner Name		
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Date	Apr. 10, 2000

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Filed : January 6, 2000 Group Art Unit: 2751
Title : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONVERTING A CONCURRENT
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GRAPH

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**RESPONSE TO "NOTICE TO FILE MISSING
PARTS OF APPLICATION--FILING DATE GRANTED"**

Sir:

We have received a Notice To File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Dated Granted mailed on February 17, 2000. We are returning herewith a copy of that Notice and original executed Declaration and Power of Attorney identifying the application by its serial number and filing date.

Enclosed is a check for \$130.00 as the filing fee for this application. We also enclose a check for \$40.00 for Recording executed Assignment, enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-4270.

Respectfully submitted,

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